



THE POTRERO VIEW

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FREE

Sewage Plant Planned Here

As most readers will know by now, especially those of you who attended the City Planning meeting at Potrero Junior High, July 2, Potrero and the South East portion of the City is about to become the sewage treatment center for the whole of San Francisco on an ongoing and increasing basis, unless concerted community action prevents it.

Briefly, how this came about: The City is under threat of a total ban on building from the Federal Government if it doesn't chose a site for a treatment plant to deal with the present situation, whereby, in wet weather, overflow untreated sewage gets into the Bay. In crude terms, if you flush your toilet during a rainstorm it goes straight into the Bay.

The Board of Supervisors has to make a decision at their July 30 meeting (you will want to attend this meeting if you have strong opinions on the subject) to meet the already extended deadline. Our feeling at PLAN, based on some five hours of discussion with officials from the Departments of City Planning and Engineering is that the Board will select the Alvord site (where 20th Street meets the Bay) for this plant.

Aside from the psychological problem of having a sewage plant in our backyard, there are real and possibly permanent environmental dangers to our community that demand consideration:

1. VISUAL - We never saw a sewage plant that we'd want to live within sight of; however we are assured by the people at City Planning that it will be hidden from the residential areas of the Hill, and the proposed park -- more of this later -- will make it more acceptable visually from the shore and the Bay.

2. ECONOMIC - City Planning personnel conceded to us that the drift of industry away from this area appears to be irreversible, leaving residential and agricultural (!!) as the only alternative uses for this blighted district. We can see no rush to develop for housing an area whose only vital amenity is a 30 acre sewage plant -- but that's a lot of fertilizer!

3. ATMOSPHERIC - We never smelt a plant of this nature that we'd want to live within a few miles of; City Engineer Mr. Levy assured neighborhood group representatives that "the technology exists" to build a sewage treatment facility that does not smell -- he was unable to tell us where or if such a plant was operating, however. Our impression that Potrero, or whichever site is chosen, will be a testing ground for sewage treatment technology, remained unshaken by Mr. Levy's assurances. It is an honor we can do without.

If you attended the meeting July 2 and Potrero Hill Junior High, you will have heard of the proposed shoreline park used to dress up this project. PLAN believes that due to the probable stench from the plant, this park will be of little pleasure or use to our community, though we think it desirable, if only to soften the visual impact from the Bay. We will be pushing, in the event that we are landed with this project, for other city-funded social amenities that the Hill needs: park, swimming pool, more playground and tennis courts. Our view is that if our neighborhood is going to clean up more than its fair share of the City's sewage (80% has been mentioned, with a real chance that we might get it ALL!) we should receive preferential consideration from City funds for social development as compensation.

Please get behind our efforts on your behalf. Attend the PLAN meeting Tuesday, July 8, 7 PM at the Neighborhood House, 953 De Haro St., and any other meetings called by other local groups on this matter. Make sure to keep the afternoon of July 30 free to attend the Board of Supervisors meeting at City Hall. If you don't join the effort to stop this project you have only yourself to blame if we get dumped on.

(Potrero Hill League of Active Neighbors)

Police Station Moving?

Will the Southeast Police Station at 20th and 3rd Streets be moved in the foreseeable future? Probably, and possibly, but not a certainty according to several San Francisco Police Department sources.

In November San Francisco voters will be asked to approve a \$20 million bond issue to improve all of the remaining SFPD district stations. If passed, a number of things will start to roll. Each of the present 9 district stations (there were once 16) will be updated or relocated and rebuilt.

"These newly improved station facilities will function as community centers with basketball courts, and art shows," suggested one member of the SFPD. "I can't say for sure whether the Southeast station will be moved, but the odds are in favor of a more central location in its present district. Where it will finally land is hard to say."

The same SFPD source (who asked not to be named) answered the question of reduced police coverage on Potrero Hill by saying that the coverage depends little on where the station is located. Yet, some of the individual district policemen stated categorically they preferred the present location, "At least you know your car might be here when you come off your shift."

A few years back, the district station's name was changed from the Potrero Hill District Station to Southeast Station. A prelude to change? Not so, say some of the individual backers of the name change. "Every criminal caught anywhere in the district was immediately labelled by the press as the Potrero Hill murderer or Potrero Hill rapist or Potrero Hill whatever. That was one of the best things done to change the image of the Hill as a roughneck area."

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Ruth Passen Photo

South African and Ethiopian delegates to the International Women's Year conference in San Francisco posed with Potrero Hill community workers, Debra Faye Richardson (5th from left), Enola D. Maxwell (7th from left), Nellie Saunders and Cleo Wallace (on the steps).



Local Women's Conference

Women and the Community was the theme of a Department of State sponsored project held recently in San Francisco, in honor of International Women's Year.

Women delegates from 23 countries were invited to visit San Francisco and several other U.S. cities on their journey to the United Nations Conference for International Women's Year in Mexico City, June 19.

Enola D. Maxwell, Director of the Potrero Hill Neighborhood House, invited by the Department of State to participate in the planning stages of the event, felt that "the conference gave many women an opportunity to meet each other and exchange ideas. However, the time was short and many of our questions were left unanswered."

The spirit of the discussion dealing with Viewpoints of Minority Women generated the most vocal responses from both panelists and the visitors. Representation from the grassroots community was limited.

"The questions asked by the visitors were not much different from the questions asked by the third world women in this country," commented Mrs. Maxwell.

Eva Szecsi-Teri of Hungary found "a lack of knowledge or interest in other countries," on the part of Americans. Interestingly, she was right. Most of the delegates knew more about this country than their San Francisco counterparts knew of any of the guest delegates' countries.

With a virtual blackout of news on the part of the local press of this visit by invited women in honor of the IWY, it is not surprising that local women knew little or nothing of the conference, much less the histories of their guests.

"I believe," stated Mrs. Maxwell, "that the main part of the conference gave the visitors a chance to learn about us but gave us very little opportunity to learn about them. It was a one-way conference, as we told of our history, past, present and future."

Property Reassessment

From Supervisor John Barbagelata

Homeowners and renters will pay the major portion of the increased costs of City government in the coming year, according to Supervisor John Barbagelata, unless drastic cuts are made in the record \$710 million City budget.

All residential property in the City is being reassessed this year. In many cases, the increase in assessment will be as much as 50%.

This means that even if the tax rate (set in September) remains the same, the actual property taxes will increase 25 to 50% on all homes and apartments in San Francisco.

Renters may not feel the crunch until September, but they are virtually certain to face major rent hikes before the year is over.

"The neighborhoods of San Francisco will not see any better services coming from this \$710 million," said Barbagelata. "Instead, the residents of the City will have to pay for pet projects and high salaries which mainly benefit non-residents."

Cutting some of the fat from the budget would save taxpayers over \$60 million in the coming year, he estimates.

Barbagelata's most controversial proposal is to trim the payroll of all City departments by 7 to 10%, using a small part of the savings to fund a larger number of part-time apprentice jobs.

"Dirty streets and buses, a crumbling educational system, increased crime - these are the reasons people are leaving the City in droves," he said, "yet as the population gets smaller, the City budget gets larger - and there's still no improvement in City services."

Barbagelata would like to see the City hire hundreds of unemployed persons, at \$3 an hour, to work specifically on projects of public benefit, such as cleaning Muni buses. If a like number of bureaucrats were cut from the budget, the net savings would be over \$25 million, he said.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

I will be leaving my position as children's librarian at the Potrero Branch Library soon, probably around July 8th. I will then be working at the Eureka Valley Branch Library, on 16th Street near Market.

My new place of work is an extremely busy branch. So professionally, in terms of meeting a challenge, this is a very fortunate move for me. Even considering this, I'm sad to leave Potrero Hill and appreciate the friendliness that has been extended to me here.

Because my move has been a possibility for some time, I haven't planned summer programs for the children. Hopefully, I will soon be replaced by a new children's librarian who will pick up where I leave off.

If there is a delay in filling my position and you miss the services of a children's librarian, I encourage you to write letters to the people below to express your desire for a children's librarian. In the past, there have been situations where this letter-writing method has produced results! Letters might be sent to:

1. Mayor Joseph L. Alioto, 200 City Hall, S.F., 94102.
2. Dianne Feinstein, 235 City Hall, S.F., 94102.
3. Kevin Starr, City Librarian, Main Library, Larkin & McAllister Sts., S.F., 94102.
4. David Murphy, Head of Personnel, Main Library, Larkin & McAllister Sts., S.F., 94102.

Potrero Hill is an interesting, lively community and I know I'll think of it fondly -- the place, the people, most of all the children. If the new librarian likes you children as much as I do, your new relationship will be a very happy one.

Carol Small

Free Adult Education Classes

July 1 and August 13 are opening dates, respectively, of summer and fall adult education sessions at the San Francisco Community College District's Community College Centers.

More than 200 tuition-free courses have been set for the summer session beginning July 1, and over 100 of them are designed to help people upgrade or acquire business-oriented skills necessary to make them better qualified in the current job market. Courses offered include the traditional clerical cluster of typing, shorthand, bookkeeping, and office skills but also include keypunch and electronic data processing.

NABE HOUSE NEWS

953 DE HARO STREET, 826-8080

(All services and activities FREE)

MONTHLY DINNER MEETING: 4th Fri. every month. Next meeting July 25, 6:30 PM. Guest speaker from Vietnam Veterans Against the War and Winter Soldier Organization. 50¢ suggested donation.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING: 3rd Mon. every month. Open to the community. Bring your concerns.

HEALTH CLINIC: 1st and 3rd working Thurs. every month, 12:30 - 4 PM. For information and appointment, call 558-3905 or 558-3319. S.F. Department of Public Health.

SENIOR CITIZENS PROGRAMS: HOT LUNCHES every Mon. thru Fri., 12:30 PM. Sponsors: Calif. Office of Aging and Mission Rebels. After Lunch Activities include: BINGO games every Wed., BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS on the last Tues. every month, INFORMATION & REFERRAL & COUNSELLING every day after lunch. Durke Richardson, Coordinator.

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER: Free program for mentally retarded adults Mon. thru Fri., 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM. Includes: basic education and cultural enrichment, social clubs, work training, counselling, weekly field trips, recreation and classes for Spanish speaking adults. Mark Freudenthal, Program Director.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS FOR YOUTH: Thurs., 8:30 PM, Fraser Rm. For more information, call Central Office, 982-4473.

BROWNIES (Troop 2940): Girls 6-9 years, Tues., 3:30 PM. Mrs. Ostrat, Troop Leader, 826-1727.

PHOTOGRAPHY LAB: Photo workshops every Mon., Wed., Fri., 3-5 PM. Jim Santana will teach an 8-week long beginning photo class on Tues. at 7:30 PM. Enrollment limited. Call Bob Hayes for info.

ARTS & CRAFTS: Every Tues., Thurs., Fri. from 1 to 5 PM. Mark Ammen, Instructor.

FREE LUNCH PROGRAM: A lunch which meets U.S.D.A. nutritional requirements will be served at the Neighborhood House to children 2 to 21 years of age, Mon. thru Fri. at 12 PM. A snack will be served at 3 PM. This program will run thru Aug. 29, 1975.

MOVIES: Every Mon., Wed., Fri. at 1 PM.

FIELD TRIPS: Every Tues. & Thurs., times to be announced. A field trip permission slip must be filled out and returned by the morning of the trip. (Permission slips are available at the NABE office.)

REPERTORY THEATRE: Auditions for parts in "Purlie Victorious" are now being held at the NABE. Call Jake Carter for information.

TUTORING: A free tutoring service is being offered for adults who need additional reading, writing & arithmetic skills. For more info, call the NABE or come into the office to enroll.

FREE CONCERT: Sun., July 27, 1975, featuring Bob Saporiti and the Free Spirit Band, 3-5 PM.

Free Medical Assist Course

A basic reading test to qualify people entering the tuition-free Medical Assisting Program offered by Pacific Heights Community College Center, 31 Gough St., will be given on July 15 at 9 AM, Room 8.

The Medical Assisting Program is designed to prepare individuals for work in doctors' offices, the clinical areas of hospitals, insurance companies, pharmaceutical houses and other medically related employment. Courses include bookkeeping and completion of insurance forms, credit collection and the like; medical typing and medical dictaphone transcribing; medical terminology and anatomy; and laboratory and table side assisting.

Persons interested in taking this entry level reading examination should call the Pacific Heights Center at 863-0826 to reserve their place at the test.

Mayor Candidate

Forum at Nabe

A Mayoralty Candidates' Forum, with the current forerunners in the San Francisco mayoralty race will be sponsored by the Potrero Hill Neighborhood House Board of Directors, Wednesday, July 17, 8 p.m.

Judge John Ertola, Supervisor Dianne Feinstein, Senator Milton Marks, and Senator George Moscone, all announced candidates for the highest position in the City's officialdom, will attend this special event at the Nabe, 953 De Haro Street.

The community is invited to attend and participate in an open discussion at the conclusion of the speakers' remarks.

Head Start Returns

There will be a new Head Start Early Childhood Program established on Potrero Hill, and operated by the YWCA in cooperation with parents living on the Hill.

Presently, the "Y" is working with the Citizens Improvement Association to obtain facilities on the Hill for the program.

Women's Group Focus on Change

A group experience for women to come together and share interests and concerns, to explore identities as women, with a focus on change, will meet Thursday, July 17, 6 to 8 PM at the Potrero Hill Counselling Center, 1245 22nd Street.

Possibilities for group sessions will include group discussions on women's issues, guest speakers, visits to related community groups, films and group projects.

For more information, call Pat Harris or Toni Robertson, 558-5335.

Sewage (Continued from page 1)

Barbagelata would like to see taken out of the City budget the proposed Performing Arts Center, for which \$3 million in City funds are already earmarked. He drew a parallel between the Arts Center and the Yerba Buena Convention Center, which was recently shelved following his discovery that the project costs had risen by \$100 million to a total of \$264 million.

"If we learned anything from Yerba Buena," he said, "it is that we should go openly and honestly to the voters with any major project like the Arts Center."

"In the next few months, the battle will be joined between the special interest groups, who want favors from the City budget, and the disorganized and beleaguered taxpayers, who up to now have had little success in keeping City spending down. The Board could save the average homeowner over \$250 in property taxes by adopting these few relatively painless cuts," Barbagelata said, adding, "Without budget cuts, the average homeowner can expect to pay over \$600 more in taxes this year, and the City will be that much farther down the road to bankruptcy."

Last Class Of Grads



The last class to graduate from the Irving M. Scott Elementary School posed in front of their school in June. I.M. Scott was built in 1894 and is the oldest school building standing in the city.

Since the building has been declared unsafe for use as a school, not meeting the earthquake standards code, the school district will move its offices into the site in early October.

Fort Cronkite Camp

The Dogpatch Youth Council will sponsor an Overnight Camp - ing Trip to Fort Cronkite, July 25 - 27. This camp is for 8 to 12 year olds. Campers will spend 5 days and 4 nights living in tents, sleeping on cots and cooking 3 meals a day.

Children will be picked up at the I.M. Scott School yard by chartered bus at 9 a.m. sharp Monday morning and returned around noon on Friday.

Call Tony Lincoln 621-5555 for more information, between 9-12.

Police (Continued from page 1)

Finally, the Public Information Office of SFPD will all of the enthusiasm they could muster said that whatever the final disposition of the Potrero Hill station it will be up to the people.

Recently, COMO (Council of Outer Mission Organizations) has launched a relentless campaign to bring more beat police-men to the Bernal Heights area. According to COMO, their campaign was quite successful.

by Don Alger

CULTURE

Community Arts Project

A group of Hill artists have been meeting irregularly for the past three months in order to formulate plans for depicting Potrero Hill history -- past and present -- in as varied an artistic manner as possible.

Organized as the Community Arts Project for Potrero Hill, these artists hope to work on murals, sculptural structures, design flags and banners, set up a multimedia slide/tape show, a photo exhibit, and street fair for the week of September 20-27, 1976. The ideas for this project coincide with the Bicentennial celebration.

Any artist living on Potrero Hill is invited to participate in this project, and an organizational/work meeting is planned for Wednesday, July 23, 1975, at the Library, 1616 20th St., at 8 PM.

Sunday Jazz at NABE



Dick Partee and his group, Joy Spring, played the first of a new series of jazz concerts at the Neighborhood House.

Photo by Bob Hayes

Free Concert

A monthly free jazz concert, spotlighting Potrero Hill musicians and their groups, has been introduced at the Neighborhood House, 953 De Haro Street.

Dick Partee and his group, Joy Spring, played the first concert in June, and will return for the all day All Soul Festival in August.

The next concert, Sunday, July 27, will feature Bob Saporiti and The Free Spirits Band including: Tom Donald, bass; Johnny Lovett, vocals; Terry Mediros, guitar; Herman Eberitzsch, keyboard; and Dick Partee, alto sax.

The concert is scheduled for 3 to 5 p.m., in the theatre of the Neighborhood House, corner De Haro and Southern Heights.

For more information call 826-8080.

Summer Project

Free workshops in dance, poetry, typing skills, woodshop, self-defense, drama for youth and drama for senior citizens will comprise the Community Education Summer Project at Aptos Jr. High School, 105 Aptos Ave., in San Francisco.

The Project is part of a pilot program of the San Francisco Unified School District to open the schools to people of all ages during hours when the buildings are not usually accessible to the public. People from all parts of the City are invited to join the workshops.

For information, contact Lee Anderson at 586-6194.

TV Film Workshop

A Summer Open Door Minorities TV/Film Workshop, sponsored by the San Francisco Adult Education Department, opened July 1 and continues until August 7.

The workshop will be held 10 AM to 3:30 PM Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Additional information may be obtained by phoning 648-1415.

NABE Raffle

The Neighborhood House will raffle a Color Television and 2 Ten Speed Bicycles (or the cash equivalent for each prize) at the "All Souls Festival" on August 31.

Tickets are \$1 each and may be purchased at the Nabe office, 953 De Haro St. Winner need not be present to win.

Volunteers-Docents

Need at Museum

The Exploratorium is now interviewing for the summer training course for volunteers and docents. The course requires no previous technical training and will prepare applicants for both day and evening opportunities.

Docents work on an informal basis with museum visitors, answering questions about perceptual science exhibits.

The daytime session will begin on July 15 at 10 AM and will continue for five successive Tuesdays. The evening sessions will begin on July 16 at 7 PM and continue for five consecutive Wednesdays.

The Exploratorium is located at 3601 Lyon St., San Francisco. For further information, call 563-7337.

Casa Poetry Reading

Casa Poets' Theatre and Galeria de la Raza will present a staged reading from the works of Mission poet Pilar Sanchez, Saturday, July 19, 8:30 p.m.

Carolee Sanchez, Donald Romero and Rodrigo Reyes will read selections from "Symbols," a book of Pilar's poems which was published last fall by Casa Publications. Pilar, a longtime figure in the Mission cultural scene, will also read.

Refreshments will be served and no admission will be charged.

For further information, call 647-8555.



A Ken Byler intaglio print (untitled) currently on display at the Bank of America Center. The show will run through August.

Artist Scores at Bank Gallery

Intaglio prints by Ken Byler will be on exhibit during July at Bank of America Center, California and Kearny Sts.

Byler's creativity is motivated by philosophical concepts. As he sees it, his work is a commentary on life. His prints are worked in many colors and some have an embossed texture. They will be on display at the SFMO Gallery.

A native of Oklahoma, Byler has lived in the Bay Area and Potrero Hill since 1959. He received his art education at the Chicago Academy of Fine Arts and the Dallas Museum Art School. He was awarded a two-year scholarship at the Institute Allende, San Miguel de Allende, Mexico and has studied at the Huntington Hartford Foundation in Pacific Palisades on three separate grants.

His works have been shown in one-man shows at the University of California Medical Center, the Labaudt Gallery in San Francisco and at Stanford University in Palo Alto. He is affiliated with the Burch-Wademan Gallery in Houston, Texas, the Haydon Calhoun Gallery in Dallas, Texas, and in San Francisco with the Green Gallery and The Gallery. His works are also represented in numerous private collections.

Community College Classes Open

A variety of "personal enrichment" classes are available this summer, including ceramics, arts and crafts, metal art, guitar, and Spanish language classes. Also available is a grouping of classes which might be termed a "hard times" cluster, including classes designed to prepare people to do things for themselves, such as upholstery, dressmaking and tailoring, automotive repair and construction technology.

Persons interested in attending the summer session may obtain information on specific classes or a copy of the summer schedule by contacting the Community College Centers Information Officer, 31 Gough Street, at 863-0826.

Womens Potluck

A group of Potrero Hill women will get together with all the other women on the Hill for a potluck dinner, Sun., July 20, at 6 p.m. Neighborhood House, 953 DeHaro St.

Bring a dish to pass, your kids (we are our own childcare) and yourself. We can do it every month if you want.

For more information, call 285-4172.

Media Women Meet

Meetings of the Bay Area Women in Media (BAWIM) are held at 5 PM every month at Potrero Hill Neighborhood House, 953 De Haro Street.

The next meeting is July 13 preceded by a workshop discussion at 3 PM.

Call 826-1593 for further information.

Grove Concert

The annual Sunday afternoon summer music festival of free concerts at Stern Grove continue in July with the following concerts:

July 6: The Preservation Hall Jazz Band from New Orleans.

July 13: San Francisco Opera audition finalists and winners.

July 20: Bluegrass music.

July 27: A fully staged opera by members of the Merola Opera Program.

Stern Grove is located at 19th Ave. and Sloat Blvd.

Library News

POTRERO BRANCH, 1616 20th Street
Hours: Tues., 1-9 pm; Wed. 10 am-6 pm;
Mon., Thurs., Fri., 1-6 pm. Closed Sunday.

TM Lecture

Potrero Hill residents are invited to a free introductory lecture on Transcendental Meditation, Tuesday, July 8 at 7:30 PM at the Potrero Branch Library, 1616 20th St. The speaker will be Michael Smith, a T.M. instructor trained personally by Maharishi Mahesh Yogi. Mr. Smith earned his B.S. and M.S. degrees at U.C. L.A. before teaching T.M.

"T.M." says Mr. Smith, "is reported to be a simple, natural, mental technique which requires no change in lifestyle, religion, or attitude. Over 500,000 Americans have learned this relaxation technique and about 20,000 are currently beginning the practice monthly."

Political Cartoon Lecture

Dr. Richard Fitzgerald, Potrero Hill author, will present a slide-lecture called "Images of Power in American Political Cartoons" Tuesday, July 22, 8 PM at the Library.

SPORTS

Recreation Center
Arkansas & Madera Street



Al Elliot of Potrero Hill Recreation Center gets a hit during league game in the month of June's regular season.

BASEBALL

The Potrero Hill Recreation Center started its athletic program for the Summer with two baseball teams of 11 years and under, and two teams 13 years, and one team of 15 year-olds and under.

BASKETBALL

A 3-man Hunch Basketball league is in progress for the 17 years-old and older on Wednesday and Thursday nights, while the 13 year-olds play on Friday nights. The 16 year-olds and under basketball teams play on Saturdays at 1, 2 and 3 PM.

During June, a 14 year-old basketball team from the Recreation Center travelled to Hawaii to play a few games and meet the Governor and Mayor. Congratulations to Cookie Love, Grady Love, Steve Bryant, Jerome Parks, Rodney Logan, Trent Terry, Anthony Bryant, Jerome Bryant, Russel Green, Dwight McNorton and Coach Jon Greenberg.

Freebies

FREE MOVIES

Free movies every Friday at 1 and 7 PM:

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Thursday, 10 AM to 10 PM.
Friday, 9 AM to 7:30 PM.
Saturday, 9 AM to 6 PM.
Sunday, 12 PM to 5 PM.

Low Interest Funds

Low interest funds (6%) will be available in the future for home improvements through a new program called the "RAP" Program which is replacing what was formerly known as the 'FACE' Program.

In order for communities to qualify for these funds residents of the community will have to organize and apply to the City Planning Commission in order for the community to be designated as a Code Enforcement Area. The city will then be able to inspect the homes and determine what improvements need to be made.

For further information about the RAP Program, please contact Mrs. Hansen, 558-4682.

Interstudy Program

Interstudy, a Homestudy Program, is seeking host families to house 30 French students, ages 16 to 23, during their stay in San Francisco for a 4-week study course.

During their stay here, the students will attend daily classes in English conversation and intercultural communication at a center in San Francisco. In addition, Interstudy arranges local

excursions and several weekend trips around California.

Anyone interested in sharing a living educational experience with a student, please call Susanne Resneck at 921-0190, or Interstudy at 495-5696.

want ads

Write your own Want Ad for a buck. Up to four lines. Send before 25th to The Potrero View 953 De Haro St., San Francisco, CA 94107.

WANTED: Small house to buy on Hill. Must hv. space 4 studio. Am open to type of house: 2 fls., storefront w/apt. unit. Please call Pat Ferrero, 826-2791 or lv message at S. F. State Film Dept 469-1629.

WANTED: Woman seeks apt., flat, cottage. Reliable, employed teacher. Prefer 1 or 2 bdrm. Call 285-7636 most eves. after 4 PM or wknds.

VIEW STAFF MEMBER desperately needs 2 or hopefully 3 bdrm house, flat or cottage to rent. Call Molly at 285-2087.

WANTED: Apt., 2 bdrm. Employed couple with pets. \$200 mo. maximum. 495-6840 (days), 285-8941 (eves) Bill or Susan.

HOUSE SALE: Stereo, TV, furniture, aquarium, etc. Call eves. 826-3483.

Potrero Hill Olympic Medal Winners

Of the 75 member San Francisco contingent who travelled to Southern California to compete in the Special Olympics, local entrants came away with medals and honors in tract and swim events.

Gary Watts won a silver medal in the 25-yard freestyle, a bronze medal for the 50-yard freestyle, and a gold medal for the Men's 100-yard Relay team swim events.

Joel Lansman won a silver medal for the 50-yard dash.

Watts and Lansman are regulars at the Potrero Hill Social Development and Education Center which meets at the Neighborhood House.

The Vista Key Club of Jackson Park yielded a host of winners: James Deupree won three gold medals for swim events and may have a chance to go to the Michigan International meet.

Other medals were won by Louise Bertolini, Alfred Borrego, Pauline Phillips and Frank Eastman in the Softball throw; Richard Evansizer in the 50-yard dash; and Michael Salisbury, Frank Eastman and Loren King in the Standing Longjump.

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